

Year 4 Topic Wednesday



So far this term, we've been learning about the development and impact of electricity and technology in history, and about North America in geography.

This week, your task in topic is to showcase what you have learnt in a double page information sheet.

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We have created information pages before in year 4, and below are some of the writing features you should aim to

include:

- Facts
- Main heading
- Sub-headings
- Third person
- Pictures and captions

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Task 1

Look back throughout the learning that has taken place this term.

What are the key bits of information you're going to focus on?

What will your sub-headings be? (Aim for 5 or 6)

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Task 2

Your next task is an opportunity to go and carry out some of your own research. Look online or in books at home for any more interesting facts about electricity, North America or technology.

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Task 2

- Exactly how many countries are in North America, and what are their capital cities?
- What are some famous landmarks of North America?
- How many people in the world have access to the internet?
- What kind of technology could we see in the future?

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Task 3

Our final job today will be to set up our double page spread. Firstly, draw the timeline seen below across the bottom of your double page spread, showing 1800s, 1900s and 2000s.

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10: Electricity information page

1800s

1900s

2000s

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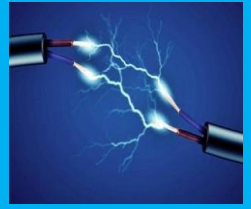
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Task 3

Next, draw buildings in the background to show the development of the sizes of buildings. I've chosen to represent the development of New York City over time with a small building, then the Empire State Building and then finally the World Trade Centre. Do this **LIGHTLY** as it is part of your background and you'll be writing over the top. Do it faintly and with colour pencils, not pens.

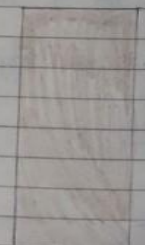
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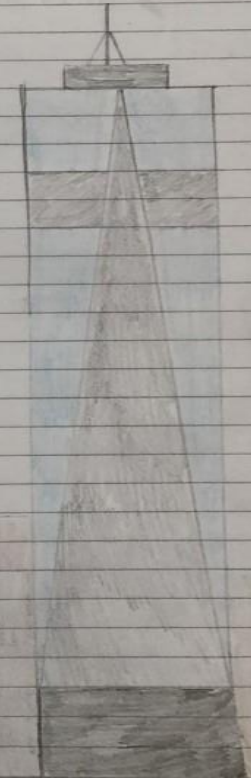
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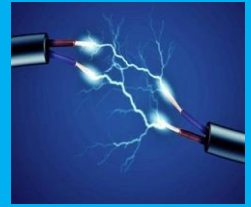
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Finally, plan where you're going to put your different paragraphs of information. My following example also shows sub-headings if you need some help thinking what to focus your writing on. I've drawn my boxes, however I'd recommend drawing your box after you've written your paragraph so you're not trying to squeeze your information into boxes.

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Map analysis

Fun fact

Dangers in the future

Did you know?

Music development

North America

City Comparison

Fun fact

1800s

1900s

2000s

Include
some
fun
facts
boxes
as well!